

tralized health services, staffed with trained community health aides.

I urge the Minister to make northern health needs his priority, and to encourage a new style of health delivery which will train local people as health care practitioners—

Mr. Speaker: I regret to advise the Hon. Member that her time has expired.

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[Translation]

PARLIAMENT HILL

EXPULSION OF PEACE DEMONSTRATORS

Mr. Jean-Luc Joncas (Matapédia-Matane): Mr. Speaker, I would like to express my support for the firm and I would say courageous action taken by one of our colleagues with respect to the campers on Parliament Hill. I do not question the purpose of their demonstration which has been going on for two years. However, this kind of demonstration should not be carried to the point where it becomes an eyesore and an affront to public order and where the Government and people of Canada become the laughing stock of visitors from abroad.

Mr. Speaker, I have nothing against tolerance, but I do think there are limits to what we can tolerate.

At this rate, pretty soon these people will go and camp on anybody's front lawn, and will help themselves in the fridge, and we will have to go on being tolerant, as some people would have us believe. There are other ways to protest in our society, ways that respect the community, and which do not promote disorderly conduct and anarchy.

Once again, Mr. Speaker, I have no doubt that the Canadian people and the majority of the Members of this House approve the courageous action taken by our hon. colleague.

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[English]

THE ADMINISTRATION

TASK FORCE ON PROGRAM REVIEW

Mr. Dave Nickerson (Western Arctic): Mr. Speaker, one of the most important initiatives taken by the new Government has been the Task Force on Program Review headed by the Deputy Prime Minister (Mr. Nielsen). The task force is charged with a comprehensive review of all government Departments so that services might in future be delivered to the public in the most efficient and cost effective way. It is high time that this took place, and the selection of the Task Force leader lends credibility to the exercise. He is known for his integrity, ability, and concern for the taxpayers' dollar. He is not known, Sir, to curry political favour.

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When the various reports are finalized it is likely, secrecy having gone out with the Xerox machine, that they will prematurely become public. It is equally likely that special interests, both within and outside of government, will react noisily if privileged positions are threatened. The Cabinet must hold its ground and follow up in a systematic manner with the implementation of the task force recommendations. To do otherwise would be for the present Government to be no different from its predecessor. The Government was chosen by Canadians to put our federal House in order, and this it must do.

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FORESTRY

DELAY IN NEGOTIATING BRITISH COLUMBIA AGREEMENT

Mr. Brian Tobin (Humber-Port au Port-St. Barbe): Mr. Speaker, all Members of this House are aware of the very special relationship which exists between Members of Parliament from British Columbia and Members of Parliament from Newfoundland. In fact it is well known that the people of our two provinces have been described as the book-ends of Canada. Therefore, in the spirit of that special friendship, I rise today to express my regret at the unfortunate disease which has afflicted Tory Members of Parliament from British Columbia. The disease is called Nielsenphobia. It causes those so afflicted to lose their voice, forget their constituents, and makes them simply unable to find their way around Parliament Hill.

Because they have lost their voice at a time critical to the people of British Columbia, in the spirit of the friendship between our two provinces I shall say for them what I know they would say themselves if they could find their voice or, for that matter, their backbone. It is this. Will the Prime Minister (Mr. Mulroney) and the Minister of Regional Industrial Expansion (Mr. Stevens) quit treating the people of British Columbia with such scorn and disrespect? Will they move immediately to resolve the \$75 million squabble with the Province of British Columbia and immediately cease holding up for ransom the future of the most important industry in British Columbia, the forest industry, as a means of trying to resolve that squabble?

While I am at it, on behalf of the people of Newfoundland to the people of British Columbia, and through them to their Members, I hope you get over Nielsenphobia very soon.

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THE DISABLED AND THE HANDICAPPED

ACCESS TO MPS' CONSTITUENCY OFFICES

Mr. Bob Hicks (Scarborough East): Mr. Speaker, I am certain that I speak on behalf of every Member of this House when I draw to the attention of all Canadians the fact that many Members of Parliament, like myself, are forced to rent a